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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of

Ganesan et al.

: Group Art Unit: 3622

Serial No. 09/208,998

: Examiner: J. Young

Filed: December 11, 1998

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For: TECHNIQUE FOR CONDUCTING SECURE TRANSACTIONS OVER A NETWORK

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.191, applicant hereby appeals from the final rejection as set forth in the Official Action mailed February 25, 2002.

A Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$320.00 is enclosed, to cover the Appeal Fee.

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To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 01-2135 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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